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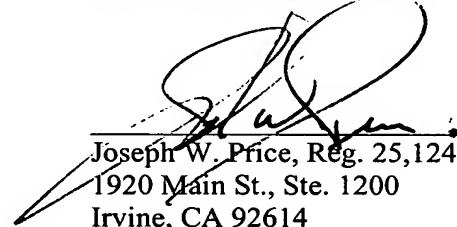
Pursuant to a telephone conference with the PCT Help Desk, it is our understanding that the submission of the Amended Specification and Claims pursuant to Article 34 will be entered as filed.

Attached hereto is an English translation of the Specification and Claims amended by an Amendment under Article 34 of PCT filed March 26, 2004 during the prosecution of the International Application.

If the Examiner believes that a telephone interview will help further the prosecution of this case, he is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned attorney at the listed telephone number.

Very truly yours,

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